UXBRIDGE SCHOOL COMMITTEE MAY 7, 2013 MCCLOSKEY SCHOOL LIBRARY

Posted by Uxbridge Town Clerk

School Committee Members in Attendance:

	Present	<u>Absent</u>
Ernest Esposito, Chair	X	
Michelle Taparausky, Vice Chair	X	-
Eileen Gorman, Secretary	X	
Mason Seagrave, Member	X	
Mary-Meg Walsh, Member	X	
John Higgins, Member	x	
Jane, Keegan, Member	x	

2.) Public Comment

A large group of parents, teachers, and citizens attended the meeting to express their opinion about the proposed \$1.6 million school department budget deficit. Music program and AP courses were of a major concern.

3.) Student Update

Monthly report of the Student Council activities was presented to the Committee.

4.) Policy Sub-Committee Update

The Committee approved the first reading of the following policies:

- Negative Lunch Balance
- Gifts To and Solicitation by Staff
- Community Use of Facilities and User Fees

5.) FY14 Budget Update & Vote for Town Meeting

The Superintendent and Business Manager updated the Committee on the FY14 Budget. The motion was made by Michelle Taparausky, second by Eileen Gorman, to present to the Town Meeting a budget of \$18,085,134. Vote 7-0 in favor.

6.) Superintendent Evaluation

The evaluation of the Superintendent was read into the public record. A copy of the evaluation will be attached to the minutes.

7.) Superintendent Update

The Superintendent reported on the status of the middle school principal.

The Superintendent updated the Committee on the Southern Worcester County Collaborative.

The Superintendent and the Director of Curriculum updated the Committee on the results of the Parent's Survey.

8.) Minutes

The motion was made by Eileen Gorman, second by Mary-Meg Walsh to approve the minutes of April 2, 2013. Vote 7-0 in favor.

9.) Old/New Business

A Grant Report update will be given at the June Meeting.

John Higgins encouraged everyone present to attend the Annual Town Meeting to support the school budget.

10.) Adjournment

At 8:33 p.m. the motion was made by Michelle Taparausky, second by Eileen Gorman to adjourn the meeting. Vote 7-0 in favor.

Respectfully Submitted By:	
School Committee Members: Ernest Esposito, Chair Sleen Homen Einen Gorman, Secretary Mason Seagrave, Member	Michelle Taparausky, Vice-Chair Mary - Mary Walsh Mary-Meg Walsh, Member John Higgins, Member